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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation State of Louisiana Post Office Box 44275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Fowler Sand, SIMSBORO FIELD, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

SUNLAND PRODUCTION CO., INC. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Fowler Sand in the Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To authorize Applicant to designate and utilize its Morgan et al. No. 1 Well, located as shown on the attached plat, as the unit well for FWL SUF, in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.
- 2. To find that designation and use of the Morgan et al. No. 1 Well as the unit well for FWL SUF is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Fowler Sand underlying FWL SUF which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
 - 3. To designate Applicant as operator of FWL SUF.
- 4. To expand the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 222-33, effective April 3, 2001, to cover the Fowler Sand so as to permit downhole combination of the Fowler Sand underlying FWL SUF with the intervals approved for downhole combination in Order No. 222-33.
- 5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Fowler Sand in Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 222, effective December 4, 1951.

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Any pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the offices of Mr. Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Avenue, Suite 3A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Mr. Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the aforesaid Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties, as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Simsboro Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

A check payable to the Office of Conservation and covering the application fee is

Yours very truly,

David L. Smelle

Attorney for Sunland Production Co., Inc.

DLS:dp Enclosures

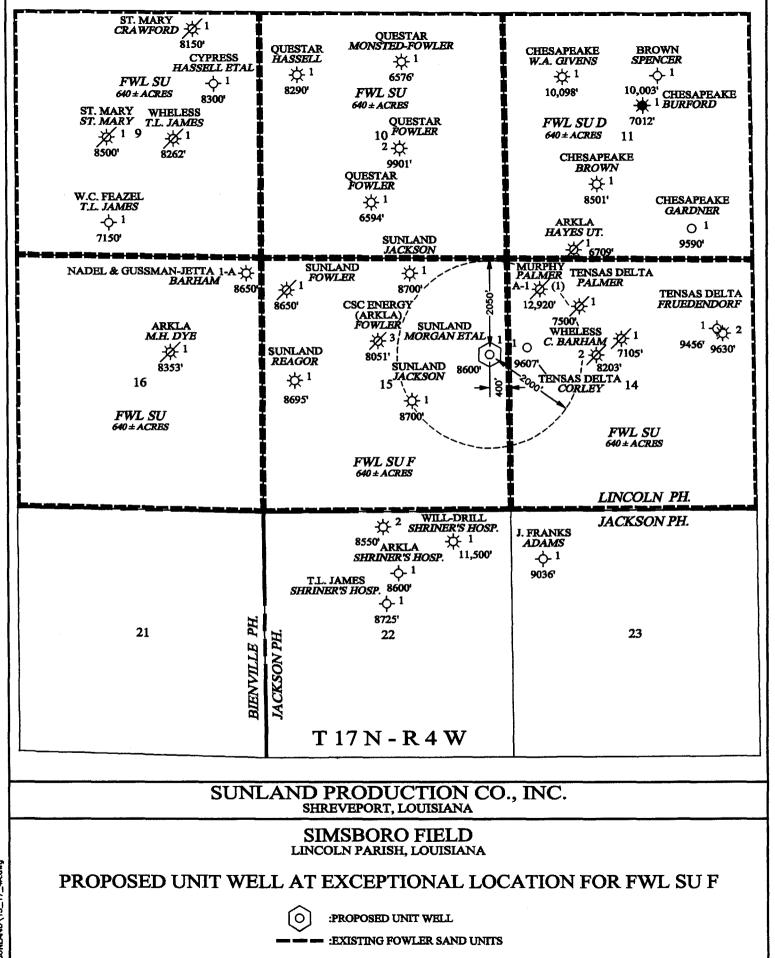
enclosed.

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)

Mr. Don Easterwood, Jr. (w/encls.)

Mr. Joe B. Adams (w/encls.) Interested Owners, Represented

Parties and Interested Parties (w/plat only)



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